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Re: U.S. Appln. Ser. No. 09/472,602 (ALLARD)  
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Dear Exr. Nguyen:

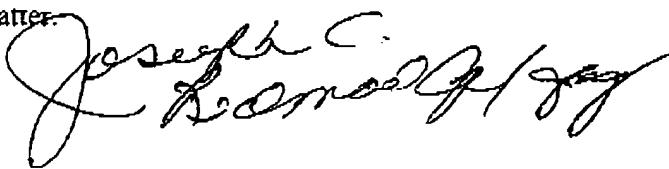
We attach a "DRAFT" amendment under 37 CFR 1.116 in response to the January 20, 2004 final Office Action, for the purposes of scheduling a Telephone Interview, in regard to the above-identified matter.

I would like to schedule the Interview for Monday, April 19, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. For our Telephone Interview, I can be reached at my Florida office at (772) 466-7360.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the number above or my secretary, Joyce Guthrie at (202) 857-8020.

Thank you in advance for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,  
 Morgan & Finnegan, LLP  
 Joseph C. Redmond, Jr.



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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): David J. Allard et al.

Group Art Unit: 2142

Serial No.: 09/472,602

Examiner: Chau T. Nguyen

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For: BROADBAND MULTI-SERVICE PROXY SERVER SYSTEM AND METHOD  
OF OPERATION FOR INTERNET SERVICES OF USER'S CHOICE**RECONSIDERATION OF FINAL REJECTION DEEMED TO BE IN ERROR**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 20, 2004, finally rejecting all claims in the above designated application, Applicants request reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections based on (1) the rejection is in conflict with the Examiner's comments in the telephone interview conducted April 28, 2003; (2) the references were previously distinguished in prior office papers 9 and 12, and (3) in any case are not supported by the references of record and in error based on the reasons set forth below in the Remarks.

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**Remarks** begin on Page 8 of this paper.

**Deposit Account Authorization** begins on page 17 of this paper.

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